

Biparental immune priming in the pipefish *Syngnathus typhle*

Table S3. Results from ANOSIM analysis of 29 immune genes to test for F0-parental and F1-offspring treatment effects in four-month-old F1-juveniles. Multivariate ANOSIM analysis to assess differences in the gene expression profiles per parental treatment group applying pairwise comparison to relative gene expression data ($-\Delta\text{Ct}$ -values) based on a Bray-Curtis distance matrix and 999 permutations. Significant p-values are presented in boldface, “ns” indicates no statistically significant difference. Shown are overall R and significance values over two main treatments (F0-parents and F1-offspring) and their interactions. These are followed by pairwise comparisons between parental control (Control), paternal *Vibrio* (PatV+) and *Tenacibaculum* (PatT+), maternal *Vibrio* (MatV+) and *Tenacibaculum* (MatT+), biparental (Bi-(MatV+PatT+); Bi-(MatT+PatV+)) treatment groups as well as pairwise comparisons between direct offspring treatments *Vibrio* (F1-V+), *Tenacibaculum* (F1-T+), and Naïve (F1-N). ANOSIM analysis was conducted for all target genes (44) and grouped into the following functional gene categories: genes of the innate immune system (13), of the innate and adaptive immune system (5), of the adaptive immune system (8), complement component genes (3).

| ANOSIM | Immune genes [29] | Innate [13] | Innate & Adaptive [5] | Adaptive [8] | Complement [3] |
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| F0-parents (7 treatments) | | | | | |
| Overall R | 0.156 | 0.076 | 0.074 | 0.179 | 0.132 |
| Overall significance values | 0.001 | 0.010 | 0.008 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Bi-(MatV+PatT+) x Bi-(MatT+PatV+) | 0.003 | 0.002 | ns | 0.001 | ns |
| Bi-(MatV+PatT+) x MatV+ | 0.006 | 0.028 | ns | 0.004 | ns |
| Bi-(MatV+PatT+) x MatT+ | 0.008 | ns | 0.011 | ns | ns |
| Bi-(MatV+PatT+) x PatV+ | 0.027 | ns | ns | 0.003 | ns |
| Bi-(MatV+PatT+) x PatT+ | ns | ns | ns | ns | ns |
| Bi-(MatV+PatT+) x Control | 0.029 | 0.015 | ns | 0.013 | 0.004 |
| Bi-(MatT+PatV+) x MatV+ | 0.011 | 0.002 | 0.076 | 0.015 | ns |
| Bi-(MatT+PatV+) x MatT+ | 0.002 | 0.001 | 0.005 | 0.002 | ns |
| Bi-(MatT+PatV+) x PatV+ | ns | ns | ns | ns | ns |
| Bi-(MatT+PatV+) x PatT+ | 0.003 | 0.014 | ns | 0.007 | ns |
| Bi-(MatT+PatV+) x Control | 0.001 | 0.008 | ns | 0.001 | 0.006 |
| MatV+ x MatT+ | 0.001 | 0.006 | 0.009 | 0.001 | 0.047 |
| MatV+ x PatV+ | ns | ns | ns | 0.015 | ns |
| MatV+ x PatT+ | 0.044 | 0.037 | ns | ns | ns |
| MatV+ x Control | 0.001 | 0.004 | 0.009 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| MatT+ x PatV+ | 0.001 | 0.031 | 0.002 | 0.036 | 0.003 |
| MatT+ x PatT+ | 0.006 | ns | 0.004 | 0.014 | ns |
| MatT+ x Control | 0.010 | ns | 0.008 | 0.044 | 0.067 |
| PatV+ x PatT+ | 0.028 | ns | ns | 0.032 | 0.048 |
| PatV+ x Control | 0.001 | 0.064 | ns | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| PatT+ x Control | ns | ns | ns | 0.012 | 0.024 |
| F1-offspring (3 treatments) | | | | | |
| ANOSIM-overall R | 0.056 | 0.076 | 0.013 | 0.027 | ns |
| Overall significance values | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.048 | 0.006 | ns |
| F1-V+ x F1-T+ | ns | ns | ns | 0.030 | ns |
| F1-V+ x F1-N | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.042 | 0.027 | ns |
| F1-T+ x F1-N | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.039 | 0.008 | ns |
| F0-parents x F1-offspring (interaction) | ns | ns | ns | ns | ns |